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For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP)	
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Commissioner for Patents
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DECLARATION OF MARK CHANDERDATT

Sir:

I, the undersigned MARK CHANDERDATT, declare and say that:

1. I am the docketing supervisor at the law firm of Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto ("our firm"), 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, New York 10112, and have been with the firm for over 10 years.

2. It is our firm's normal practice to keep a record of all documents received from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") requiring a response within a specified period, i.e., all documents having a "due date." I have personally reviewed our firm's docketing records for responses due on February 17, 2006 for Office Actions or Notice of Allowance dated November 7, 2005, and our firm's records indicate that no Office Action or

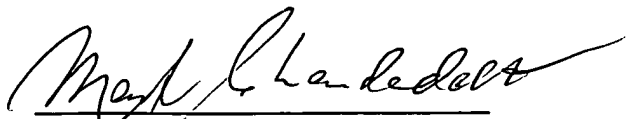
Notice of Allowance was received from the PTO for Application No. 09/935,589 with a mailing date of November 17, 2005.

3. More specifically, I have reviewed our firm's master docket record and manual docket record for responses due on February 17, 2006, and the records show that no response was due on that date for Application No. 09/935,589, which would correspond to an Office Action with a mailing date of November 17, 2006. Attached, as Exhibit A, are copies of the relevant portions of our firm's master docket record and manual docket record for February 17, 2006, listing responses due on that date.

4. On the copies of the master docket record and manual docket record attached as Exhibit A, a portion of the serial numbers and the attorney docket numbers for listings other than for the subject patent application have been redacted. Information regarding the attorney assigned to each case has also been redacted. This has been done to prevent disclosure of confidential information irrelevant to the issues relating to the subject patent application.

5. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that the statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title XVIII of United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issued thereon.

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